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The work for this requirement consists of, but is not limited to the following: providing labor, equipment, and materials to fabricate the items identified on pages 1 and 2 of the SF 1449. The effort includes design, fabrication, inspection, testing, and delivery of the aforementioned valves to Stennis Space Center at Building 2204. The valves shall comply with the codes referenced herein and shall be suitable for the stationary, exposed, above ground storage of water as indicated in the attached NASA Process Systems Valve Package Specification No. 110GT-GM01. Note: Appendices B, D and E apply specifically to the Liquid Oxygen, Alcohol, and Liquid Hydrogen butterfly valves.

Ship To: All requirements herein shall be delivered to the following address **FOB Destination**:

John C. Stennis Space Center

Contractor will first need to report to Warehouse Bldg 2204 for inspection of delivery truck.

Installation/Final Delivery will be performed at the A3 Test Site.

Stennis Space Center, MS 39529-6000

Attn: Jonathan Dickey (228-688-1856)

Reference Contract No. NNS08AA75C

Period of Performance: The period of performance shall be nine months from the effective date of the contract.

Contract Completion: This contract shall be considered complete when all items have been delivered and accepted by designated SSC personnel.

52.212-1 - INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (Nov 2007)

The following **ADDENDA TO FAR 52.212-1** are incorporated:

ADDENDUM TO 52.212-1 - INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS

The following paragraph of this clause is tailored as follows:

(c) Period for acceptance of offers. Replace with the following: Period for acceptance of offers. The offeror agrees to hold the prices in its offer firm for <u>60</u> calendar days from the date specified for receipt of offers.

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING SUBMISSION OF OFFER:

The following information is to be provided with offeror's proposal. The information requested must be provided for the prime contractor, and, if applicable, significant subcontractors.

Failure to provide any item requested below may render offeror's proposal NON-RESPONSIVE and thereby ineligible for award.

(A) TECHNICAL COMPLIANCE

1. Information provided shall include a discussion of the offeror's approach to meeting the requirements of the solicitation and should be specific, detailed, and complete enough to clearly and fully demonstrate an understanding of the requirements/specifications and any risks associated with the objectives of this procurement. It is inadequate to simply state that offeror understands and will comply with the requirements, or to paraphrase the requirements such as: "standard procedures will be employed to..." and "well-known techniques will be used for...". The information provided shall comprehensively explain how offeror proposes to comply with the applicable specifications, as well as, the techniques and procedures offeror intends to utilize. At a minimum, supportive documentation shall address machining and other fabrication, quality control, welding, welding inspection, assembly, cleaning, and post delivery inspection.

- 2. Offeror shall provide preliminary dimensional drawing(s) of valve configuration depicting size, type of fabrication, envelope dimensions, Cv, weight, and bill of materials.
- 3. Offeror shall provide adequate documentation and technical references to support proposed material selection. At a minimum, supportive documentation shall address design temperature range, fabrication, cleaning, and post delivery inspection.
- 4. Offeror shall provide preliminary calculations for pressure shell, preliminary thermal analysis of design temperature range, and calculations and/or cut sheets for any long delivery items. Results of all preliminary calculations shall be summarized.
- 5. Offeror shall identify tests to be used to certify that proposed materials meet the requirements of the specifications.
- 6. Offeror shall provide quality control manual.
- 7. Offeror shall provide representative sample cleaning procedure indicating ability to clean valves to NASA requirements.
- 8. Offeror shall identify all Manufacturer's ASME Certifications.

(B) PAST PERFORMANCE

- 1. Past Performance Information (PPI) and Relevant Experience Information shall include the name(s) and contact information for the three (3) most recent (within three years from the offer due date listed on page 1 in Block 8 of the SF1449) and relevant (as outlined in the Federal Acquisition Regulation) references (whether federal, state, or local government or private industry) for the prime contractor, and, if applicable, significant subcontractors. Failure to provide adequate contact information shall result in the reference being given a "neutral" rating.
- 2. At a minimum, PPI provided shall include verifiable experience in designing and fabricating valves of similar pressure class, service media, and materials of construction. Specifically note analysis programs used for design and a contact for experience verification (name, telephone number, and address).
- 3. Offeror shall provide documentation demonstrating years of experience by the manufacturer in design and manufacture of valves of similar design. Qualification name, phone number and address are required. Documentation shall include a list of valves fabricated, size, location of use, service, and date of manufacture. A minimum of three (3) years of experience is required.

(C) SCHEDULE

- 1. Offeror shall provide a preliminary schedule depicting design, material procurement, fabrication, testing and delivery in calendar days after receipt of order with final delivery date identified.
- 2. Offeror shall provide documentation sufficient to demonstrate the ability to develop fabrication drawings, procure material, fabricate, test, clean, and ship the valves by the required delivery date. The number of shipping days and method should be included in the schedule.

(D) PRICE

- 1. This procurement is exempt from the requirements of submission or certification of cost or pricing data. However, offeror is to provide a general breakdown of pricing (i.e. labor, equipment, materials, subcontracts, transportation, etc.) sufficient to determine price realism and reasonableness. Should significant subcontractors be involved, the pricing breakdown shall identify the pricing associated with each subcontractor.
- 2. Offeror shall identify and document all (if any) assumptions, conditions, and/or exceptions upon which the price is based. Any assumptions, conditions, and/or exceptions considered by the Government to be unacceptable may result in elimination for an award.

(E) FORMAT

- 1. Proposals shall be clear and concise, and shall include sufficient detail for effective evaluation and substantiation of stated claims. The proposal shall not simply affirm, rephrase, or restate the Government's specifications/requirements, but rather shall provide convincing rationale to address how the offeror intends to meet the specifications/requirements. Offerors shall assume that the Government has no prior knowledge of their facilities and experience, and will base its evaluation only on the information presented in the offeror's proposal. Elaborate brochures or documentation, detailed artwork, or other superfluous embellishments are unnecessary and are not desired.
- 2. If a joint venture, subcontracting arrangement, or any other type of contractual arrangement is proposed, proposal shall clearly delineate the approach for overall management and integration of this teaming arrangement. Offeror shall describe the operational and management interfaces (including all levels of supervision and management) for interacting with subcontractors, other contractors, NASA, and other resident agencies and why they will be effective in accomplishing the requirement.
- 3. All information and all copies of offer must be submitted no later than the date and time specified on Page 1 in Block 8 of the SF 1449. Proposals that arrive after the prescribed date and time specified for receipt of proposals will be considered late and treated in accordance with FAR 52.212-1(f)(2).
- 4. Signed offer(s) may be submitted in hard copy only.
- (F) AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS The Specifications and Drawings will only be made available on CDROM. Requests for copies shall be made by e-mail to the Bid Distribution Office: emily.s.polk@nasa.gov. Telephone or faxed requests will not be accepted. The list of offerors requesting CDROMs will become the "Bidders Mailing List" for small business subcontracting purposes. Offerors are advised that this list will be posted to the NAIS and FBO websites.
- (G) QUESTIONS Questions regarding the solicitation and/or specifications are encouraged to ensure adequate understanding of the government's requirement. All offeror questions regarding subject solicitation must be submitted no later than 3pm local time (Central) on 04/11/2008. Questions submitted after this date/time will not be accepted. Questions will be accepted via e-mail only must be submitted via e-mail to: Michelle.M.Stracener@nasa.gov (cc: james.d.huk@nasa.gov). Faxed or telephoned questions will not be accepted.

(H) PAYMENTS

1. Offeror shall provide an anticipated milestone payment plan to identify the estimated amounts and frequency of invoice submissions in accordance with the addendum to FAR 52.212-4(i) herein. Offerors are advised that advanced payments will not be authorized. Payments should be based on measurable progress milestones.

2. Following is an **example** milestone schedule, but the contractor should develop their own that matches their fabrication process.

| Milestone | Payment (can be % or fixed \$) | | |
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| 1. Submittal of drawings | 10% | | |
| 2. Receive 50% of materials | 20% | | |
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| 4. Completion of test | 30% | | |
| 5. Ship valve | 10% | | |
| 6. Final Acceptance of valve and all sub | omittals 10% | | |

- (I) ALTERNATE PROPOSALS Offerors are allowed submit an alternate proposal that departs from the stated requirements. Such proposals shall clearly identify why the acceptance of the proposal would be advantageous to the government. Any deviations from the specifications and/or terms and conditions of the solicitation, with the comparative advantage to the government, shall be clearly identified and explicitly defined. The offeror shall also provide an assessment of the risks associated with the offeror's approach, including the identification of impacts and mitigation recommendations in the applicable section of the proposal. The government reserves the right to amend the solicitation to allow all offerors an opportunity to submit revised proposals based on the revised requirements. If an alternate proposal is submitted, offerors are required to submit a separate, independent, and complete proposal that conforms to the solicitation to ensure consideration.
- (J) PROPOSAL COSTS The Government will not pay any offeror for preparation of their proposal.
- (K) TECHNICAL EVALUATION CONTRACTOR SUPPORT
- 1. Offerors are hereby informed that the John C. Stennis Space Center (SSC) onsite Test Operations Contractor will be providing technical assistance to the NASA proposal evaluation team, and, as such, will require access to offeror's proposal. The onsite SSC Test Operations Contractor will not be evaluating proposals, but will play an integral supporting role in the technical evaluation by providing technical input to be used by the NASA evaluation team. The final technical evaluation results shall be the responsibility of the NASA Technical Evaluation Team. By submitting a proposal in response to this solicitation, offeror is acknowledging awareness of this fact. Offeror is further required to acknowledge and indicate acceptance of the disclosure of offeror's proposal information by signing the block below.
- 2. Any offer received in response to the subject solicitation whereby written acknowledgement of approval and concurrence has not been annotated will be determined NON-RESPONSIVE and will not be evaluated.

3. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTANCE:

Offeror agrees that NASA may release to its service providers, their subcontractors, and their individual employees, sensitive information submitted during the course of this procurement for the limited purposes stated above.

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52.212-2 EVALUATION--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (Jan 1999)

- (a) The Government will award a contract resulting from this solicitation to the responsible offeror whose offer, conforming to the solicitation, will be most advantageous to the Government, price and other factors considered. The following factors shall be used to evaluate offers: technical compliance, past performance, schedule and price. Technical compliance and past performance, when combined, are significantly more important than schedule or price.
- (b) Options. N/A
- (c) A written notice of award or acceptance of an offer, mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful offeror within the time for acceptance specified in the offer, shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party. Before the offer's specified expiration time, the Government may accept an offer (or part of an offer), whether or not there are negotiations after its receipt, unless a written notice of withdrawal is received before award.

The following ADDENDUM TO FAR 52.212-2 is incorporated:

(A) COMPETITIVE NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT USING QUALITATIVE CRITERIA

This procurement is being conducted utilizing Best Value Selection (BVS), which seeks to make an award based on the best combination of price and qualitative merit (including technical compliance, past performance, schedule and price) of the proposals submitted and reduce the administrative burden on Offerors and the Government. BVS predefines the value characteristics which will serve as discriminators among proposals. BVS evaluation is based on the premise that, if all proposals are of approximately equal qualitative merit, award will be made to the Offeror with the lowest evaluated price (fixed-price contracts) or the lowest most probable cost (cost type contracts). However, the Government will consider awarding to an Offeror with higher qualitative merit if the difference in price is commensurate with added value. Conversely, the Government will consider making award to an Offeror whose quote has lower qualitative merit if the price (or cost) differential between it and other offers warrants doing so.

(B) EVALUATION CRITERIA

- a. The award will be made where the offeror is determined to be responsible, and the proposal is responsive and offers the best value to the government. Best value will be determined based on an integrated assessment of each proposal in terms of technical compliance, past performance, schedule and price. Therefore, subjective judgment by the government is implicit in the evaluation process. **Technical compliance and past performance, when combined, are significantly more important than schedule or price.** If offeror does not have relevant past performance history, the offeror may not be evaluated favorably or unfavorably on past performance and will be given a neutral rating as detailed in this plan. In addition, award may be made without conducting discussions. Otherwise responsive proposals containing a significant variance in price from the government's estimate may be immediately removed from further consideration if there is no expectation that an award can be made at a fair and reasonable price, as it would be detrimental to the public interest to pay more than fair market price.
- b. Once all responses have been gathered, proposals will be qualitatively evaluated by team members using the below value characteristics. These value characteristics are performance-based and permit evaluation of the proposal, which provides better results for a reasonable marginal increase in price. All proposals will be judged against these value characteristics.

(C) EVALUATION PROCESS

The Government will evaluate proposals in two general steps:

Step One -- An initial evaluation will be performed to determine if all required information has been provided and the Offeror has presented a responsive proposal. Offeror may be contacted only for clarification purposes during the initial evaluation. Should a proposal be determined non-responsive, the offeror shall be notified that their proposal has been rejected and the reasons therefore, and the proposal shall be excluded from further consideration.

Step Two -- All responsive proposals will be evaluated against the specifications/statement of work and the value characteristics identified herein. Based on this evaluation, the Government has the option, depending on the specific circumstances of the proposals received, to utilize one of the following methods: (1) Make selection and award without discussions, (**preferred method**); or (2) after establishment of the competitive range, hold discussions with all finalists and afford each Offeror an opportunity to revise its proposal, and then make selection based upon an evaluation of the revised proposals.

Offerors are cautioned that omissions or an inaccurate or inadequate response to these evaluation factors may have a negative effect on your overall evaluation.

References other than those provided by the offeror may be contacted and their comments considered during the evaluation process. The information submitted may be verified by the Government through discussions with the references provided. While the Government may elect to consider data obtained from other sources, the burden of providing relevant references that the Government can readily contact rests with the Offeror.

(D) VALUE CHARACTERISTICS

Listed below are the value characteristics that will be utilized in the evaluation of each proposal. Each value characteristic is further defined to explain the rating that each offeror will receive. Documentation insufficient to make a definitive determination regarding these characteristics will negatively impact the score received.

<u>Technical Compliance</u> 30% - The government will evaluate to what extent proposal is in compliance with required Specifications/Statement of Work as well as the reasonableness of the proposed approach.

<u>Past Performance 40%</u> - The government will evaluate past and present performance, giving consideration to the relevance of the work performed and the quality of performance indicated, to anticipate the likelihood of successful performance.

<u>Schedule 30%</u> - The government will evaluate to what extent proposed schedule meets the government's needs as specified in the solicitation as well as the reasonableness of the proposed approach.

<u>Price</u> - The government will evaluate offeror's proposed price for reasonableness and realism and for determining best value to the Government.

52.212-3 OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (Nov 2007)

An offeror shall complete only paragraph (1) of this provision if the offeror has completed the annual representations and certificates electronically at http://orca.bpn.gov. If an offeror has not completed the annual representations and certifications electronically at the ORCA website, the offeror shall complete only paragraphs (b) through (k) of this provision.

- (a) Definitions. As used in this provision -
- "Emerging small business" means a small business concern whose size is no greater than 50 percent of the numerical size standard for the NAICS code designated.
- "Forced or indentured child labor" means all work or service—
- (1) Exacted from any person under the age of 18 under the menace of any penalty for its nonperformance and for which the worker does not offer himself voluntarily; or
- (2) Performed by any person under the age of 18 pursuant to a contract the enforcement of which can be accomplished by process or penalties.
- "Manufactured end product" means any end product in Federal Supply Classes (FSC) 1000-9999, except—
- (1) FSC 5510, Lumber and Related Basic Wood Materials;
- (2) Federal Supply Group (FSG) 87, Agricultural Supplies;
- (3) FSG 88, Live Animals;
- (4) FSG 89, Food and Related Consumables;
- (5) FSC 9410, Crude Grades of Plant Materials;
- (6) FSC 9430, Miscellaneous Crude Animal Products, Inedible;
- (7) FSC 9440, Miscellaneous Crude Agricultural and Forestry Products;
- (8) FSC 9610, Ores;
- (9) FSC 9620, Minerals, Natural and Synthetic; and
- (10) FSC 9630, Additive Metal Materials.
- "Place of manufacture" means the place where an end product is assembled out of components, or otherwise made or processed from raw materials into the finished product that is to be provided to the Government. If a product is disassembled and reassembled, the place of reassembly is not the place of manufacture.
- "Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern"—
- (1) Means a small business concern—
- (i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
- (ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a service-disabled veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.
- (2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).
- "Small business concern" means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and size standards in this solicitation.
- "Veteran-owned small business concern" means a small business concern—
- (1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans(as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and

- (2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.
- "Women-owned business concern" means a concern which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the its stock is owned by one or more women; and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.
- "Women-owned small business concern" means a small business concern --
- (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and
- (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.
- (b) *Taxpayer identification number (TIN) (26 U.S.C. 6109, 31 U.S.C. 7701).* (Not applicable if the offeror is required to provide this information to a central contractor registration database to be eligible for award.)
- (1) All offerors must submit the information required in paragraphs (b)(3) through (b)(5) of this provision to comply with debt collection requirements of 31 U.S.C. 7701(c) and 3325(d), reporting requirements of 26 U.S.C. 6041, 6041A, and 6050M, and implementing regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- (2) The TIN may be used by the government to collect and report on any delinquent amounts arising out of the offeror's relationship with the Government (31 U.S.C. 7701(c)(3)). If the resulting contract is subject to the payment reporting requirements described in FAR 4.904, the TIN provided hereunder may be matched with IRS records to verify the accuracy of the offeror's TIN.

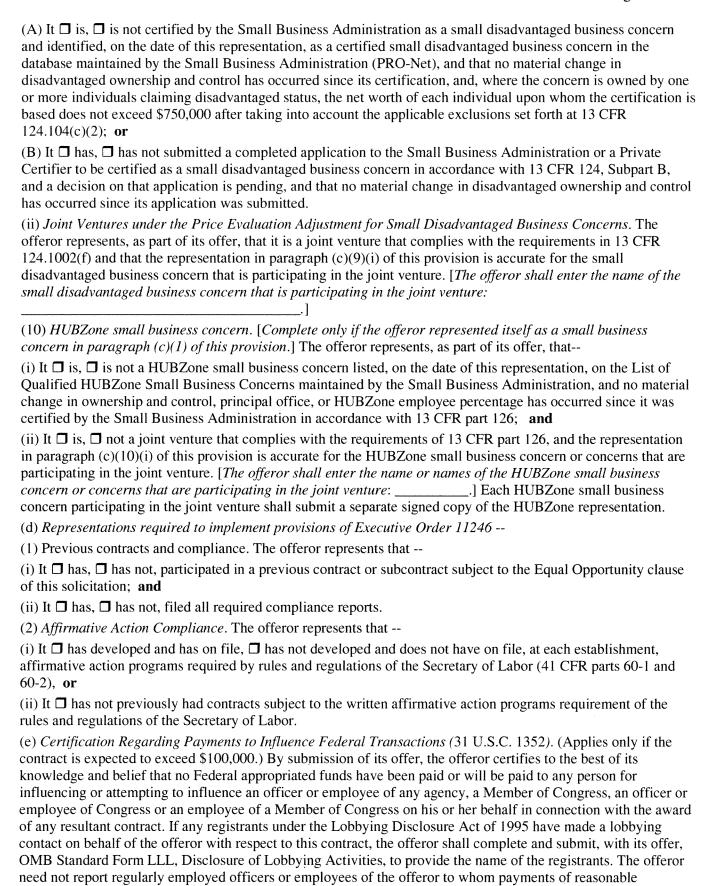
| (3) Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN). |
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| □ TIN: |
| ☐ TIN has been applied for. |
| ☐ TIN is not required because: |
| ☐ Offeror is a nonresident alien, foreign corporation, or foreign partnership that does not have income effectively |
| connected with the conduct of a trade or business in the United States and does not have an office or place of |
| business or a fiscal paying agent in the United States; |
| ☐ Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of a foreign government; |
| ☐ Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of the Federal Government; |
| (4) Type of organization. |
| ☐ Sole proprietorship; |
| ☐ Partnership; |
| ☐ Corporate entity (not tax-exempt); |
| ☐ Corporate entity (tax-exempt); |
| ☐ Government entity (Federal, State, or local); |
| ☐ Foreign government; |
| ☐ International organization per 26 CFR 1.6049-4; |
| □ Other |
| (5) Common parent. |
| ☐ Offeror is not owned or controlled by a common parent: |
| □ Name and TIN of common parent: |
| Name |
| TIN |
| (c) Offerors must complete the following representations when the resulting contract is to be performed in the United States or its outlying areas. Check all that apply . |
| (1) Small business concern. The offeror represents as part of its offer that it \square is, \square is not a small business concern |

| (2) Veteran-owned small business concern. [Comp concern in paragraph $(c)(1)$ of this provision.] The veteran-owned small business concern. | lete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business e offeror represents as part of its offer that it \square is, \square is not a |
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| | concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a $ch(c)(2)$ of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its an-owned small business concern. |
| | tete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business offeror represents, for general statistical purposes, that it \square is, is defined in 13 CFR 124.1002. |
| | tete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business offeror represents that it \square is, \square is not a women-owned small |
| Note: Complete paragraphs $(c)(6)$ and $(c)(7)$ only is acquisition threshold. | f this solicitation is expected to exceed the simplified |
| (6) Women-owned business concern (other than sm women-owned business concern and did not repres this provision.]. The offeror represents that it □ is, | pall business concern). [Complete only if the offeror is a sent itself as a small business concern in paragraph $(c)(1)$ of a women-owned business concern. |
| | If this is an invitation for bid, small business offerors may incurred on account of manufacturing or production (by than 50 percent of the contract price: N/A |
| Industry Categories under the Small Business Com | mpetitiveness Demonstration Program and for the Targeted petitiveness Demonstration Program. [Complete only if the sconcern under the size standards for this solicitation.] |
| (i) [Complete only for solicitations indicated in an a one of the designated industry groups (DIGs).] The emerging small business. | addendum as being set-aside for emerging small businesses in a offeror represents as part of its offer that it \square is, \square is not an |
| (ii) [Complete only for solicitations indicated in an (TICs) or designated industry groups (DIGs).] Offer | addendum as being for one of the targeted industry categories eror represents as follows: |
| (A) Offeror's number of employees for the past 12 the solicitation is expressed in terms of number of e | months (check the Employees column if size standard stated in employees); or |
| (B) Offeror's average annual gross revenue for the Revenues column if size standard stated in the solic of the following): | last 3 fiscal years (check the Average Annual Gross Number of citation is expressed in terms of annual receipts). (Check one |
| Number of Employees | Average Annual Gross Revenues |
| 50 or fewer | \$1 million or less |
| 51-100 | \$1,000,001-\$2 million |
| 101-250 | \$2,000,001-\$3.5 million |
| 251-500 | \$3,500,001-\$5 million |
| 501-750 | \$5,000,001-\$10 million |
| 751-1,000 | \$10,000,001-\$17 million |
| Over 1,000 | Over \$17 million |
| (9) [Complete only if the solicitation contains the cl Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Cond | ause at FAR 52.219-23, Notice of Price Evaluation cerns, or FAR 52.219-25, Small Disadvantaged Business |

Participation Program—Disadvantaged Status and Reporting, and the offeror desires a benefit based on its

(i) General. The offeror represents that either—

disadvantaged status.]



compensation were made.

- (f) Buy American Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 52.225-1, Buy American Act Supplies, is included in this solicitation.)
- (1) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (f)(2) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The offeror shall list as foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products. The terms "component," "domestic end product," "end product," "foreign end product," and "United States" are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Supplies."

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- (3) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25.
- (g)
- (1) Buy American Act -- Free Trade Agreements -- Israeli Trade Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-3, Buy American Act -- Free Trade Agreements -- Israeli Trade Act, is included in this solicitation.)
- (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or (g)(1)(iii) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The terms "Bahrainian or Moroccan end product," "component," "domestic end product," "end product," "foreign end product," "Free Trade Agreement country," "Free Trade Agreement country end product," "Israeli end product," and "United States" are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act."
- (ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Free Trade Agreement country end products (other than Bahrainian or Moroccan end produces) or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act":

Free Trade Agreement Country End Products (Other than Bahrainian or Moroccan End Products) or Israeli End Products:

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(iii) The offeror shall list those supplies that are foreign end products (other than those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or this provision) as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act." The offeror shall list as other foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products.

Other Foreign End Products:

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| | [List as necessary] |

(iv) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25.

- (2) Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate I. If Alternate I to the clause at FAR 52.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute the following paragraph (g)(1)(ii) for paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:
- (g)(1)(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Canadian end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act":

Canadian End Products:

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[List as necessary]

(3) Buy American Act—Free Trade Agreements—Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate II. If Alternate II to the clause at FAR 52.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute the following paragraph (g)(1)(ii) for paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:

(g)(1)(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Canadian end products or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled ``Buy American Act--Free Trade Agreements--Israeli Trade Act": Canadian or Israeli End Products:

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[List as necessary]

- (4) *Trade Agreements Certificate*. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-5, Trade Agreements, is included in this solicitation.)
- (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(4)(ii) of this provision, is a U.S.-made or designated country end product, as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Trade Agreements."
- (ii) The offeror shall list as other end products those end products that are not U.S.-made or designated country end products.

Other End Products

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COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

[List as necessary]

- (iii) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25. For line items subject to the WTO GPA, the Government will evaluate offers of U.S.-made or designated country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American Act. The Government will consider for award only offers of U.S.-made or designated country end products unless the Contracting Officer determines that there are no offers for such products or that the offers for such products are insufficient to fulfill the requirements of the solicitation.
- (h) Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension or Ineligibility for Award (Executive Order 12689). (Applies only if the contract value is expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold.) The offeror certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that the offeror and/or any of its principals--
- (1) \square Are, \square are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency; **and**
- (2) Have, have not, within a three-year period preceding this offer, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subconfract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and
- (3) \square Are, \square are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.
- (i) Certification Regarding Knowledge of Child Labor for Listed End Products (Executive Order 13126). [The Contracting Officer must list in paragraph (i)(1) any end products being acquired under this solicitation that are included in the List of Products Requiring Contractor Certification as to Forced or Indentured Child Labor, unless excluded at 22.1503(b).]
- (1) Listed End Product

Listed End Product

Listed Countries of Origin:

| N/A |
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| (2) Certification. [If the Contracting Officer has identified end products and countries of origin in paragraph $(i)(1)$ of this provision, then the offeror must certify to either $(i)(2)(i)$ or $(i)(2)(ii)$ by checking the appropriate block.] |
| ☐ (i) The offeror will not supply any end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. |
| ☐ (ii) The offeror may supply an end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. The offeror certifies that is has made a good faith effort to determine whether forced or indentured child labor was used to mine, produce, or manufacture any such end product furnished under this contract. On the basis of those efforts, the offeror certifies that it is not aware of any such use of child labor. |
| (j) <i>Place of manufacture.</i> (Does not apply unless the solicitation is predominantly for the acquisition of manufactured end products.) For statistical purposes only, the offeror shall indicate whether the place of manufacture of the end products it expects to provide in response to this solicitation is predominantly— |
| (1) In the United States (Check this box if the total anticipated price of offered end products manufactured in the United States exceeds the total anticipated price of offered end products manufactured outside the United States); or |
| (2) Outside the United States. |
| (k)Service Contract Act. (Certification by the offeror as to its compliance with respect to the contract also constitutes its certification as to compliance by its subcontractor if it subcontracts out the exempt services.) [The contracting officer is to check a box to indicate if paragraph $(k)(1)$ or $(k)(2)$ applies.] |
| [] (1) Maintenance, calibration, or repair of certain equipment as described in FAR 22.1003-4(c)(1). The offeror |
| ☐ does ☐ does not certify that— |
| (i) The items of equipment to be serviced under this contract are used regularly for other than Governmental purposes and are sold or traded by the offeror in substantial quantities to the general public in the course of normal business operations; |
| (ii) The services will be furnished at prices which are, or are based on, established catalog or market prices (see |
| FAR 22.1003-4(c)(2)(ii)) for the maintenance, calibration, or repair of such equipment; and |
| (iii) The compensation (wage and fringe benefits) plan for all service employees performing work under the contract will be the same as that used for these employees and equivalent employees servicing the same equipment of commercial customers. |
| [] (2) Certain services as described in FAR 22.1003-4(d)(1). The offeror \Box does \Box does not certify that— |
| (i) The services under the contract are offered and sold regularly to non-Governmental customers, and are provided by the offeror (or subcontractor in the case of an exempt subcontract) to the general public in substantial quantities in the course of normal business operations; |
| (ii) The contract services will be furnished at prices that are, or are based on, established catalog or market prices (see FAR 22.1003-4(d)(2)(iii)): |

(iv) The compensation (wage and fringe benefits) plan for all service employees performing work under the contract is the same as that used for these employees and equivalent employees servicing commercial customers.

(iii) Each service employee who will perform the services under the contract will spend only a small portion of his or her time (a monthly average of less than 20 percent of the available hours on an annualized basis, or less than 20 percent of available hours during the contract period if the contract period is less than a month) servicing the

(3) If paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) of this clause applies—

Government contract; and

- (i) If the offeror does not certify to the conditions in paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) and the Contracting Officer did not attach a Service Contract Act wage determination to the solicitation, the offeror shall notify the Contracting Officer as soon as possible; and
- (ii) The Contracting Officer may not make an award to the offeror if the offeror fails to execute the certification in paragraph (k)(1) or (k)(2) of this clause or to contact the Contracting Officer as required in paragraph (k)(3)(i) of this clause.
- (1)(1) Annual Representations and Certifications. Any changes provided by the offeror in paragraph (1)(2) of this provision do not automatically change the representations and certifications posted on the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA) website.

| Alternate I (Apr 2002). As prescribed in 12.301(b)(2), add the following paragraph (c)(11) to the basic provision: |
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| (11) (Complete if the offeror has represented itself as disadvantaged in paragraph (c)(4) or (c)(9) of this provision.) [<i>The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls</i>]: |
| Black American. |
| Hispanic American. |
| Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians). |
| Asian-Pacific American (persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Vietnam, Korea, The Philippines, U.S. Trust Territory or the Pacific Islands (Republic of Palau), Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Samoa, Macao, Hong Kong, Fiji, Tonga Kiribati, Tuvalu, or Nauru). |
| Subcontinent Asian (Asian-Indian) American (persons with origins from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, or Nepal). |
| Individual/concern, other than one of the preceding. |
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52.225-2 – BUY AMERICAN ACT CERTIFICATE (Jun 2003)

(a) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (b) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The offeror shall list as foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products. The terms "component," "domestic end product," "end product," "foreign end product," and "United States" are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act—Supplies."

(b) Foreign End Products:

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(c) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of Part 25 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.

52.252-1 SOLICITATION PROVISIONS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE (Feb 1998)

This solicitation incorporates one or more solicitation provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. The offeror is cautioned that the listed provisions may include blocks that must be completed by the offeror and submitted with its quotation or offer. In lieu of submitting the full text of those provisions, the offeror may identify the provision by paragraph identifier and provide the appropriate information with its quotation or offer. Also, the full text of a solicitation provision may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es): Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clauses: http://www.acqnet.gov/far/; NASA FAR Supplement (NFS) clauses: http://www.hq.nasa.gov/office/procurement/regs/nfstoc.htm

A. FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION (FAR) (48CFR CHAPTER 1) PROVISIONS:

The following FAR provisions are included by reference:

| 52.211-14 | Notice of Priority Rating for National Defense Use (Sep 1990) DO-C9 | | |
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| 52.223-4 | Recovered Material Certification (Oct 1997) | | |
| 52.232-38 | Submission of Electronic Funds Transfer Information with Offer (May 1999) | | |
| 52.233-2 | Service of Protest (Sep 2006) (John C. Stennis Space Office of Procurement, Bldg 1100, Rm | | |
| 251H, Stennis Space Center, MS 39529-6000) | | | |

B. NASA FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION SUPPLEMENT (48CFR CHAPTER 18) PROVISIONS (http://www.hq.nasa.gov/office/procurement/regs/nfstoc.htm):

The following NFS provisions are included by reference:

1852.233-70 Protest to NASA (Oct 2002)

CONTRACT CLAUSES

52.212-4 -- CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS (Feb 2007)

The following **ADDENDA TO FAR 52.212-4** are incorporated:

ADDENDUM TO FAR 52.212-4, CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS - COMMERCIAL ITEMS

The following paragraphs of this clause are tailored as follows:

(a) Inspection/Acceptance. Add the following:

- (a)(1) If the contractor fails to promptly perform the services again, or to take the necessary action to ensure future performance in conformity with contract requirements, the government may, by contract or otherwise, perform the services at contractor's cost.
- (a)(2) Inspection and acceptance of the services will be performed at Stennis Space Center, MS, by the A3 Altitude Test Facility Project Office.
- (c) *Changes*... Replace with the following: *Changes*. Changes in the terms and conditions of this contract may be made only by written agreement of the parties with the exception of administrative changes such as changes in the paying office, appropriations data, etc., which may be changed unilaterally by the Government.
- (i)(1) Due to the potentially volatile market for materials required for this acquisition and long lead time for delivery, the Government realizes that payment upon completion and delivery may create undue hardship for small businesses. Therefore, milestone billing will be authorized in accordance with offeror's accepted milestone payment plan. Should circumstances result in the contractor's inability to deliver the final product or the contract being terminated, all materials billed and paid shall be immediately delivered to NASA or payments reimbursed.

52.212-5 -- CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE ORDERS -- COMMERCIAL ITEMS (Feb 2008)

- (a) The Contractor shall comply with the following Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clauses, which are incorporated in this contract by reference, to implement provisions of law or Executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items:
 - (1) 52.233-3, Protest After Award (AUG 1996) (31 U.S.C. 3553).
 - (2) 52.233-4, Applicable Law for Breach of Contract Claim (OCT 2004) (Pub. L. 108-77, 108-78).
- (b) The Contractor shall comply with the FAR clauses in this paragraph (b) that the contracting officer has indicated as being incorporated in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or Executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items: [Contracting Officer shall check as appropriate.]
 - X (1) 52.203-6, Restrictions on Subcontractor Sales to the Government (Sep 2006), with Alternate I (Oct 1995)(41 U.S.C. 253g and 10 U.S.C. 2402).
 (2) 52.219-3, Notice of Total HUBZone Set-Aside (Jan 1999)(15 U.S.C. 657a).
 X (3) 52.219-4, Notice of Price Evaluation Preference for HUBZone Small Business Concerns (Jul 2005) (if the offeror elects to waive the preference, it shall so indicate in its offer)(15 U.S.C. 657a).
 (4) [Reserved]
 (5) (i) 52.219-6, Notice of Total Small Business Aside (June 2003) (15 U.S.C. 644).
 (ii) Alternate I (Oct 1995) of 52.219-6.
 (6) (i) 52.219-7, Notice of Partial Small Business Set-Aside (June 2003)(15 U.S.C. 644).
 (ii) Alternate I (Oct 1995) of 52.219-7.
 (iii) Alternate II (Mar 2004) of 52.219-7.
 X (7) 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (May 2004) (15 U.S.C. 637 (d)(2) and (3)).
 X (8) (i) 52.219-9, Small Business Subcontracting Plan (Nov 2007)(15 U.S.C. 637 (d)(4)).
 - ___ (ii) Alternate I (Oct 2001) of 52.219-9.
 - X (iii) Alternate II (Oct 2001) of 52.219-9.
 - X (9) 52.219-14, Limitations on Subcontracting (Dec 1996)(15 U.S.C. 637(a)(14)).
 - X (10) 52.219-16, Liquidated Damages Subcontracting Plan (JAN 1999) (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(4)(F)(i)).
 - X (11) (i) 52.219-23, Notice of Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns (Sep 2005)(10 U.S.C. 2323) (if the offeror elects to waive the adjustment, it shall so indicate in its offer).

- (ii) Alternate I (June 2003) of 52.219-23. ___ (12) 52.219-25, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program—Disadvantaged Status and Reporting (Oct 1999)(Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323). ____(13) 52.219-26, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program—Incentive Subcontracting (Oct 2000)(Pub. L. 103-355, section 7102, and 10 U.S.C. 2323). ____(14) 52.219-27, Notice of Total Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Set-Aside (May 2004). X (15) 52.219-28, Post Award Small Business Program Representation (June 2007) (15 U.S.C. 632(a)(2)). **X**_(16) 52.222-3, Convict Labor (June 2003)(E.O. 11755). X (17) 52.222-19, Child Labor-Cooperation with Authorities and Remedies (Feb 2008) (E.O. 13126). X (18) 52.222-21, Prohibition of Segregated Facilities (Feb 1999). **X**_ (19) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (Mar 2007)(E.O. 11246). X (20) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (Sept 2006)(38 U.S.C. 4212). X (21) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (Jun 1998)(29 U.S.C. 793). X (22) 52.222-37, Employment Reports on Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (Sept 2006)(38 U.S.C. 4212). X (23) 52.222-39, Notification of Employee Rights Concerning Payment of Union Dues or Fees (Dec 2004) (E.O. 13201). X (24) (i) 52.222-50, Combating Trafficking in Persons (Aug 2007) (Applies to all contracts). ___ (ii) Alternate I (Aug 2007) of 52.222-50. X (25) (i) 52.223-9, Estimate of Percentage of Recovered Material Content for EPA-Designated Products (Aug 2000)(42 U.S.C. 6962(c)(3)(A)(ii)). ___ (ii) Alternate I (Aug 2000) of 52.223-9 (42 U.S.C. 6962(i)(2)(C)). X (26) 52.223-15, Energy Efficiency in Energy-Consuming Products (Dec 2007) (42 U.S.C. 8259b). X (27)(i) 52.223-16, IEEE 1680 Standard for the Environmental Assessment of Personal Computer Products (Dec 2007) (E.O. 13423). ____ (ii) Alternate I (Dec 2007) of 52.223-16. X (28) 52.225-1, Buy American Act--Supplies (June 2003)(41 U.S.C. 10a-10d). (29) (i) 52.225-3, Buy American Act – Free Trade Agreements – Israeli Trade Act (Aug 2007) (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d, 19 U.S.C. 3301 note, 19 U.S.C. 2112 note, Pub. L. 108-77, 108-78, 108-286, 109-53, and 109-169). ___ (ii) Alternate I (Jan 2004) of 52.225-3. ____ (iii) Alternate II (Jan 2004) of 52.225-3. (30) 52.225-5, Trade Agreements (Nov 2007)(19 U.S.C. 2501, et seq., 19 U.S.C. 3301 note). X_(31) 52.225-13, Restrictions on Certain Foreign Purchases (Feb 2006) (E.o.s, proclamations, and statutes administered by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the Department of the Treasury). ____ (32) 52.226–4, Notice of Disaster or Emergency Area Set-Aside (Nov 2007) (42 U.S.C. 5150). ____ (33) 52.226–5, Restrictions on Subcontracting Outside Disaster or Emergency Area (Nov 2007) (42 U.S.C. 5150). ____ (34) 52.232-29, Terms for Financing of Purchases of Commercial Items (Feb 2002)(41 U.S.C. 255(f), 10 U.S.C. 2307(f)). ____ (35) 52.232.30, Installment Payments for Commercial Items (Oct 1995)(41 U.S.C. 255(f), 10 U.S.C. 2307(f)).
- X (36) 52.232-33, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer—Central Contractor Registration (Oct. 2003)(31 U.S.C. 3332).

| (37) 52.232-34, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer—Other Than Central Contractor Registration (May 1999)(31 U.S.C. 3332). |
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| (38) 52.232-36, Payment by Third Party (May 1999)(31 U.S.C. 3332). |
| (39) 52.239-1, Privacy or Security Safeguards (Aug 1996)(5 U.S.C. 552a). |
| X (40) (i) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.SFlag Commercial Vessels (Feb 2006)(46 U.S.C. Appx 1241(b) and 10 U.S.C. 2631). |
| (ii) Alternate I (Apr 2003) of 52.247-64. |
| (c) The Contractor shall comply with the FAR clauses in this paragraph (c), applicable to commercial services, that the Contracting Officer has indicated as being incorporated in this contract by reference to implement provisions of law or executive orders applicable to acquisitions of commercial items: [Contracting Officer check as appropriate.] |
| (1) 52.222-41, Service Contract Act of 1965 (Nov 2007)(41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.). |
| (2) 52.222-42, Statement of Equivalent Rates for Federal Hires (May 1989)(29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.). |
| (3) 52.222-43, Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Act Price Adjustment (Multiple Year and Option Contracts) (Nov 2006)(29 U.S.C.206 and 41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.). |
| (4) 52.222-44, Fair Labor Standards Act and Service Contract Act Price Adjustment (Feb 2002)(29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.). |
| (5) 52.222-51, Exemption from Application of the Service Contract Act to Contracts for Maintenance, Calibration, or Repair of Certain Equipment Requirements (Nov 2007) (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.). |
| (6) 52.222-53, Exemption from Application of the Service Contract Act to Contracts for Certain Services - Requirements (Nov 2007) (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.). |
| (7) 52.237-11, Accepting and Dispensing of \$1 Coin (Aug 2007)(31 U.S.C. 5112(p)(1)). |
| (d) <i>Comptroller General Examination of Record</i> . The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of this paragraph (d) if this contract was awarded using other than sealed bid, is in excess of the simplified acquisition threshold, and does not contain the clause at 52.215-2, Audit and Records Negotiation. |
| (1) The Comptroller General of the United States or an authorized representative of the Comptroller Congrel |

- (1) The Comptroller General of the United States, or an authorized representative of the Comptroller General, shall have access to and right to examine any of the Contractor's directly pertinent records involving transactions related to this contract.
- (2) The Contractor shall make available at its offices at all reasonable times the records, materials, and other evidence for examination, audit, or reproduction, until 3 years after final payment under this contract or for any shorter period specified in FAR Subpart 4.7, Contractor Records Retention, of the other clauses of this contract. If this contract is completely or partially terminated, the records relating to the work terminated shall be made available for 3 years after any resulting final termination settlement. Records relating to appeals under the disputes clause or to litigation or the settlement of claims arising under or relating to this contract shall be made available until such appeals, litigation, or claims are finally resolved.
- (3) As used in this clause, records include books, documents, accounting procedures and practices, and other data, regardless of type and regardless of form. This does not require the Contractor to create or maintain any record that the Contractor does not maintain in the ordinary course of business or pursuant to a provision of law.

(e)

- (1) Notwithstanding the requirements of the clauses in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) of this clause, the Contractor is not required to flow down any FAR clause, other than those in paragraphs (i) through (vii) of this paragraph in a subcontract for commercial items. Unless otherwise indicated below, the extent of the flow down shall be as required by the clause--
 - (i) 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (May 2004)(15 U.S.C. 637(d)(2) and (3)), in all subcontracts that offer further subcontracting opportunities. If the subcontract (except subcontracts to

small business concerns) exceeds \$550,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction of any public facility), the subcontractor must include 52.219-8 in lower tier subcontracts that offer subcontracting opportunities.

- (ii) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (Mar 2007)(E.O. 11246).
- (iii) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (Sept 2006)(38 U.S.C. 4212).
- (iv) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (June 1998)(29 U.S.C. 793).
- (v) 52.222-39, Notification of Employee rights Concerning Payment of Union Dues or Fees (Dec 2004) (E.O. 13201).
- (vi) 52.222-41, Service Contract Act of 1965 (Nov 2007), flow down required for all subcontracts subject to the Service Contract Act of 1965 (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.)
- (vii) 52.222-50, Combating Trafficking in Persons (Aug 2007) (22 U.S.C. 7104(g)). Flow down required in accordance with paragraph (f) of FAR clause 52.222-50.
- (viii) 52.222-51, Exemption from Application of the Service Contract Act to Contracts for Maintenance, Calibration, or Repair of Certain Equipment—Requirements (Nov 2007) (41 U.S.C. 351, et seg.).
- (ix) 52.222-53, Exemption from Application of the Service Contract Act to Contracts for Certain Services—Requirements (Nov 2007) (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- (x) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately-Owned U.S. Flag Commercial Vessels (Feb 2006)(46 U.S.C. Appx 1241(b) and 10 U.S.C. 2631). Flow down required in accordance with paragraph (d) of FAR clause 52.247-64,
- (2) While not required, the contractor may include in its subcontracts for commercial items a minimal number of additional clauses necessary to satisfy its contractual obligations.

52.252-2 CLAUSES INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE (Feb 1998)

This contract incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es): Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clauses: http://www.acqnet.gov/far/; NASA FAR Supplement (NFS) clauses: http://www.hq.nasa.gov/office/procurement/regs/nfstoc.htm

A. FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION (48CFR CHAPTER 1) CLAUSES (http://www.acqnet.gov/far/):

The following clauses are included by reference:

| 52.204-7 | Central Contractor Registration (Jul 2006) |
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| 52.209-6 | Protecting the Government's Interest When Subcontracting with Contractors Debarred, |
| | Suspended, or Proposed for Debarment. (Sep 2006) |
| 52.211-15 | Defense Priority and Allocation Requirement (Sep 1990) |
| 52.225-8 | Duty-Free Entry. (Feb 2000) Fill In: (g)(4) [NASA's John C. Stennis Space Center, MS (SSC), |
| | from Tariff Schedules, SSC Office of Procurement] |
| 52.228-5 | Insurance Work on a Government Installation (Jan 1997) |
| 52.233-3 | Protest after Award (Aug 1996) |
| 52.233-4 | Applicable Law For Breach Of Contract Claim (Oct 2004) |
| 52.237-2 | Protection of Government Buildings, Equipment, and Vegetation (Apr 1984) |
| 52.246-2 | Inspection of Supplies – Fixed Price (Aug 1996) |
| 52.247-34 | F.O.B. Destination (Nov 1991) |

B. NASA FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION SUPPLEMENT (48CFR CHAPTER 18) CLAUSES (http://www.hq.nasa.gov/office/procurement/regs/nfstoc.htm)

The following clauses are included by reference:

| 1852.215-84 | Ombudsman (Oct 2003) Fill In: b. [Arthur (Gene) E. Goldman, Deputy Director, John C. | |
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| Stennis Space Center, MS 39529-6000, E-Mail arthur.e.goldman@nasa.gov, Phone (228) 688-2123, or Fax (228) | | |
| 688-3240.] | | |
| 1852.219-76 | NASA 8 Percent Goal (Jul 1997) | |
| 1852.223-72 | Safety and Health (Short Form) (Apr 2002) | |

1852.223-75 Major Breach Safety & Security (Feb 2002); Alternate I (Feb 2006)

1852.225-75 Major Breach Safety & Security (Feb 2002); Alternate I (Feb 2006) 1852.225-70 Export Licenses (Feb 2000) Fill In: John C. Stennis Space Center, MS

1852.219-75 Small Business Subcontracting Reporting (May 1999)

1852.237-72 ACCESS TO SENSITIVE INFORMATION (Jun 2005)

- (a) As used in this clause, "sensitive information" refers to information that a contractor has developed at private expense, or that the Government has generated that qualifies for an exception to the Freedom of Information Act, which is not currently in the public domain, and which may embody trade secrets or commercial or financial information, and which may be sensitive or privileged.
- (b) To assist NASA in accomplishing management activities and administrative functions, the Contractor shall provide the services specified elsewhere in this contract.
- (c) If performing this contract entails access to sensitive information, as defined above, the Contractor agrees to -
- (1) Utilize any sensitive information coming into its possession only for the purposes of performing the services specified in this contract, and not to improve its own competitive position in another procurement.
- (2) Safeguard sensitive information coming into its possession from unauthorized use and disclosure.
- (3) Allow access to sensitive information only to those employees that need it to perform services under this contract.
- (4) Preclude access and disclosure of sensitive information to persons and entities outside of the Contractor's organization.
- (5) Train employees who may require access to sensitive information about their obligations to utilize it only to perform the services specified in this contract and to safeguard it from unauthorized use and disclosure.
- (6) Obtain a written affirmation from each employee that he/she has received and will comply with training on the authorized uses and mandatory protections of sensitive information needed in performing this contract.
- (7) Administer a monitoring process to ensure that employees comply with all reasonable security procedures, report any breaches to the Contracting Officer, and implement any necessary corrective actions.
- (d) The Contractor will comply with all procedures and obligations specified in its Organizational Conflicts of Interest Avoidance Plan, which this contract incorporates as a compliance document.
- (e) The nature of the work on this contract may subject the Contractor and its employees to a variety of laws and regulations relating to ethics, conflicts of interest, corruption, and other criminal or civil matters relating to the award and administration of government contracts. Recognizing that this contract establishes a high standard of accountability and trust, the Government will carefully review the Contractor's performance in relation to the mandates and restrictions found in these laws and regulations. Unauthorized uses or disclosures of sensitive information may result in termination of this contract for default, or in debarment of the Contractor for serious misconduct affecting present responsibility as a government contractor.
- (f) The Contractor shall include the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (f), suitably modified to reflect the relationship of the parties, in all subcontracts that may involve access to sensitive information

- (a) As used in this clause, "sensitive information" refers to information, not currently in the public domain, that the Contractor has developed at private expense, that may embody trade secrets or commercial or financial information, and that may be sensitive or privileged.
- (b) In accomplishing management activities and administrative functions, NASA relies heavily on the support of various service providers. To support NASA activities and functions, these service providers, as well as their subcontractors and their individual employees, may need access to sensitive information submitted by the Contractor under this contract. By submitting this proposal or performing this contract, the Contractor agrees that NASA may release to its service providers, their subcontractors, and their individual employees, sensitive information submitted during the course of this procurement, subject to the enumerated protections mandated by the clause at 1852.237-72, Access to Sensitive Information.
- (1) The Contractor shall identify any sensitive information submitted in support of this proposal or in performing this contract. For purposes of identifying sensitive information, the Contractor may, in addition to any other notice or legend otherwise required, use a notice similar to the following:

Mark the title page with the following legend:

This proposal or document includes sensitive information that NASA shall not disclose outside the Agency and its service providers that support management activities and administrative functions. To gain access to this sensitive information, a service provider's contract must contain the clause at NFS 1852.237-72, Access to Sensitive Information. Consistent with this clause, the service provider shall not duplicate, use, or disclose the information in whole or in part for any purpose other than to perform the services specified in its contract. This restriction does not limit the Government's right to use this information if it is obtained from another source without restriction. The information subject to this restriction is contained in pages [insert page numbers or other identification of pages].

Mark each page of sensitive information the Contractor wishes to restrict with the following legend: Use or disclosure of sensitive information contained on this page is subject to the restriction on the title page of this proposal or document.

- (2) The Contracting Officer shall evaluate the facts supporting any claim that particular information is "sensitive." This evaluation shall consider the time and resources necessary to protect the information in accordance with the detailed safeguards mandated by the clause at 1852.237-72, Access to Sensitive Information. However, unless the Contracting Officer decides, with the advice of Center counsel, that reasonable grounds exist to challenge the Contractor's claim that particular information is sensitive, NASA and its service providers and their employees shall comply with all of the safeguards contained in paragraph (d) of this clause.
- (d) To receive access to sensitive information needed to assist NASA in accomplishing management activities and administrative functions, the service provider must be operating under a contract that contains the clause at 1852.237-72, Access to Sensitive Information. This clause obligates the service provider to do the following:
- (1) Comply with all specified procedures and obligations, including the Organizational Conflicts of Interest Avoidance Plan, which the contract has incorporated as a compliance

document.

- (2) Utilize any sensitive information coming into its possession only for the purpose of performing the services specified in its contract.
- (3) Safeguard sensitive information coming into its possession from unauthorized use and disclosure.
- (4) Allow access to sensitive information only to those employees that need it to perform services under its contract.
- (5) Preclude access and disclosure of sensitive information to persons and entities outside of the service provider's organization.
- (6) Train employees who may require access to sensitive information about their obligations to utilize it only to perform the services specified in its contract and to safeguard it from unauthorized use and disclosure.
- (7) Obtain a written affirmation from each employee that he/she has received and will comply with training on the authorized uses and mandatory protections of sensitive information needed in performing this contract.
- (8) Administer a monitoring process to ensure that employees comply with all reasonable security procedures, report any breaches to the Contracting Officer, and implement any necessary corrective actions.

- (e) When the service provider will have primary responsibility for operating an information technology system for NASA that contains sensitive information, the service provider's contract shall include the clause at 1852.204-76, Security Requirements for Unclassified Information Technology Resources. The Security Requirements clause requires the service provider to implement an Information Technology Security Plan to protect information processed, stored, or transmitted from unauthorized access, alteration, disclosure, or use. Service provider personnel requiring privileged access or limited privileged access to these information technology systems are subject to screening using the standard National Agency Check (NAC) forms appropriate to the level of risk for adverse impact to NASA missions. The Contracting Officer may allow the service provider to conduct its own screening, provided the service provider employs substantially equivalent screening procedures.
- (f) This clause does not affect NASA's responsibilities under the Freedom of Information Act.
- (g) The Contractor shall insert this clause, including this paragraph (g), suitably modified to reflect the relationship of the parties, in all subcontracts that may require the furnishing of sensitive information.

LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

The following documents are attached hereto and made a part of this contract:

Attachment 1

NASA Process Systems Valve Package Specification No. 110GT-GM101

July, 2007

103 pages

(Including Appendices A-E)